

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Honeywell No. H0004213-5866
(MBHB Case No. 06-240)

In re Application of:)	
)	
Thomas R. Keyser)	Examiner: B. Healy
)	
Serial No.: 10/811,767)	Group Art Unit: 2883
)	
Filed: March 29, 2004)	
)	
For: Silicon Optoelectronic Device)	

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. Section 1.97 - 1.99, the Applicant wishes to make references of record in the above-identified application. This Information Disclosure Statement is in compliance with the continuing duty of candor as set forth in 37 C.F.R. Section 1.56. The references are listed in the PTO-1449 form enclosed herewith. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98, as amended by 69 Fed. Reg. 56481, effective October 21, 2004, copies of U.S. Patents and Published U.S. Patent Applications are not required.

In the judgment of the undersigned, portions of the listed references may be material to the Examiner's consideration of the presently pending claims. However, the references have not been reviewed in sufficient detail to make any other representation and, in particular, no representation is intended as to the relative relevance between references, whether cited in this or prior statements. This statement is not a representation that the listed references have effective dates early enough to be "prior art" within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. Section 102 or Section 103.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed:

- ☐ within three months of the filing date of a national application; within three months of the date of entry into the national stage as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.491 in an international application; before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits; or before the

mailing of a first Office Action after the filing of a request for continued examination under §1.114. 37 C.F.R. §1.97 (b)

☒ **after** three months of the filing date of a national application, or the date of entry into the national stage as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.491 in an international application; or **after** the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits, but **before** the mailing date of a Final Action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.113 or a Notice of Allowance under 37 C.F.R. § 1.311 (whichever occurs first), and includes (37 C.F.R. § 1.97 (c):

☐ the Certification under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e) (see "Certification" below)

OR

☒ the fee of \$180 set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) (see "Fees" below).

☐ **after** a Final Action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.113 or a Notice of Allowance under 37 C.F.R. § 1.311 (whichever occurs first), but before, or simultaneously with, the payment of the issue fee, and includes the Certification under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e) (see "Certification" below), and the Petition Fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) (see "Fees" and "Method of Payment of Fees" below). Applicants hereby petitions for consideration of the Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith and the accompanying references in examination of the subject patent application.

CERTIFICATION

☐ The **undersigned** hereby certifies that each item of information contained in the Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign patent application not more than three months prior to the filing of the Information Disclosure Statement.

☐ The **undersigned** hereby certifies that no item of information contained in the Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign patent application or, to the knowledge of the person signing the certification after making reasonable inquiry, was known to any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of the Information Disclosure Statement.

FEES

- ☐ No fee is owed by the applicant(s).
- ☒ The IDS Fee of \$180.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) is enclosed herewith. See attached transmittal form for itemization of this fee.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: July 10, 2007

/Marcus J. Thymian/
Marcus Thymian
Registration No. 43,954

McDonnell, Boehnen, Hulbert, and Berghoff LLP
300 South Wacker Drive
Chicago, IL 60606
Phone: 312 913 0001
Fax: 312 913 0002

McDonnell, Boehnen, Hulbert & Berghoff LLP
300 South Wacker Drive
Chicago, Illinois 60606
Telephone: (312) 913-0001
Facsimile: (312) 913-0002